UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT	
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YOR	K

STATE of NEW YORK, STATE of ILLINOIS, STATE of MARYLAND, STATE of WASHINGTON,

: 07-CV-8621 (PAC) (RLE)

USDS SDNY

Plaintiffs,

- against -

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES,

ADMISSION TO PRACTICE, PRO HAC
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Defendant.

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Upon the motion of John M. Schwartz, an Assistant Attorney General in the offices of Attorney General Andrew M. Cuomo, attorney for the State of New York in this action, and Mr. Schwartz's declaration in support,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that

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are admitted to practice pro hac vice as counsel for the State of Maryland in this action in the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York. All attorneys appearing before this Court are subject to the Local Rules of this Court, including the Rules governing discipline of attorneys. This action has been assigned to the Electronic Case Filing System (ECF), so counsel shall immediately apply for an ECF password at nysd.uscourts.gov. Counsel shall forward the pro hac vice fee to Clerk of Court.

Dated:

February 7, 2008

New York, New York

United States District Judge